

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

-against-

11-cr-0059 (LAK)

RICHARD VASQUEZ,

Defendant.  
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**ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR COMPASSIONATE RELEASE**

LEWIS A. KAPLAN, *District Judge*.

The motion for compassionate release (Dkt 943) is denied. The movant has not established that he has exhausted his administrative remedies, which is a prerequisite to judicial relief. In any case, the Court would deny the motion substantially for the reasons stated at pages 7 and 8 of the government's opposition (Dkt 945) and those articulated in the Court's prior decision denying the movant's motion for a reduction in sentence under 18 U.S.C. 3582(c)(2) (Dkt 701).

SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 30, 2020

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Lewis A. Kaplan  
United States District Judge